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Sir:

In response to the Notification Missing Requirements dated June 10, 2005 (copy enclosed), the correct spelling of the first named inventor is:

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Accordingly, all the missing parts of the application, including payment of the late filing surcharge, have been filed and no further action is required.

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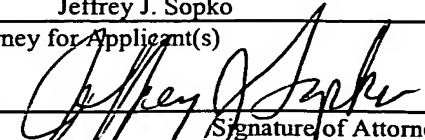
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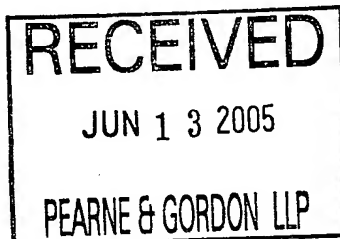
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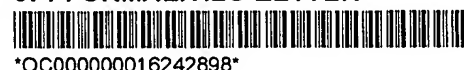
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- Copy of the International Application filed on 01/28/2005
- English Translation of the IA filed on 01/28/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 01/28/2005
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 01/28/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 01/28/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 01/28/2005
- Oath or Declaration filed on 01/28/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 01/28/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 01/28/2005

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
 - The 1st inventor's name is shown differently on the declaration than on the international application. Please clarify.

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